



Cabinet Appointments and Honours Committee

Summary

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Herenga ā Nuku Aotearoa, the Outdoor Access Commission: Appointment

Portfolio	Agriculture
Purpose	This paper notes that the Minister of Agriculture intends to appoint Jonathan Young to Herenga ā Nuku Aotearoa, the Outdoor Access Commission Board for three years.
Candidate Summaries	Jonathan Young is a former MP with a strong history of community engagement and leadership, business acumen, and strong governance experience. He brings a wide range of skills to the Board including industry and international engagement, a community first approach, and a strong work ethic.
Potential Conflicts	None identified.
Diversity Implications	With this appointment, the Board will have four male and one female members, with NZ European and Māori representation.
Fees/Conditions	Fees are set under the Cabinet Fees Framework at s9(2)(a) per year for members.
Communications	The appointment will be gazetted.
Consultation	<p>Paper prepared by MPI (Agriculture). Herenga ā Nuku Aotearoa, the Outdoor Access Commission was consulted.</p> <p>The Minister indicates that the Minister of Finance and APH Ministers, the ACT Party and New Zealand First were consulted.</p>

The Minister of Agriculture recommends that the Committee:

- 1 note that the Minister of Agriculture intends to **appoint** Jonathan Edgar Joseph YOUNG as a member of Herenga ā Nuku Aotearoa, the Outdoor Access Commission Board, for a three-year term commencing on 19 August 2024.

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